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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Lawrence E. Bodkin, Sr.

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Examiner: J. Hawkins Gay

For: BUOYANCY DEVICES USING CONFORMAL CAVITIES

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to Office Action dated 9/24/01, and supplemental to your response, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claims 1, 5 and 15 as per attached clean-copy and marked-up versions.

REMARKS

1. Base claims 1, 5 and 15 have been amended to more distinctly define the applicant's invention.

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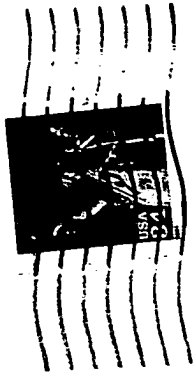
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